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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed:

Applicant's IDS submitted on 02/28/2006 had not been considered since the foreign documents cited had not been provided prior to the first office action dated 12/06/2007. Applicant faxed the missing documents on 4/10/2008. After reviewing the documents Examiner notified the Applicant that the previously indicated allowability of Claims 3 and 5 will be withdrawn based on the newly provided reference: JP-62-195558.

Examiner proposed including the limitations of Claim 8 into Claim 1 in order to overcome a 35 U.S.C. 103(a) rejection of the claims based on JP-62-195558; consequently placing the application in condition for allowance. Applicant argued that since JP-62-195558 was in Japanese, it was unclear as to whether the reference met the limitations of Claims 3/5.

No agreement was reached. Enclosed herewith is the Final Office Action with a rejection of claim(s) based on a certified translation of JP-62-195558.